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APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (X) Specification in 26 pages.
- (X) Drawings in 12 sheets.
- (X) Declaration by Inventors in 2 pages.
 - Copy from parent application
 - Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
 - Examiner in prior application: Landrem, Kamrin R.
 - Group Art Unit of prior application: 3738

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Application	Relationship	Parent App. No.	Filing Date	Status
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OTHER APPLICATION PARTS:

- (X) Preliminary Amendment in 6 pages.
- (X) Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 in 175 total pages (IDS and 1449).
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.



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